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RIYADH, Sept. 2 (SPA) — The confernce of the governors of central banks and nonetary authorities in Islamic states coninued its meetings here Tuesday, discussing havays of expanding trade and husiness trivities among members.

Delegations from 24 states are part of the neetings, which also involve representatives rom the Organization of Islamic Confer-ence, the Islamic Development Bank, the ederation of Islamic Banks, the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank. Whe Voting on resolutions and recommendathe cions was expected to take place Tuesday might at a meeting to be headed by Sheikh

Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency, SAMA. At the conference opening Monday, Prince Sattam, deputy governor of Riyadh, called for the establishment of a new world and fair by play. He said most Islamic states were still developing and suffer from instability in the

Andul Aziz Al Quraishi, the governor for the

world economic order.

"These crises," he said, "continue to In in wideo the gap between the industrially leas advanced nations and the developing ones. Sheikh Quraishi said the conference aimed at boosting Islamic solidarity, and comes at a time of high rates of inflation and low economic growth.

Though the country's imports from Islamic countries increased from SR995 million in 1971 to SR3.8 million in 1978, a 21 per cent average annual increase, great possibilities for further trade exist, Prince Sattam said.

The total remittances of the expatriate workers in the Kingdom to the Islamie countries rose to SR32 hillion in the last five years. Last year alone, remittances of expatriates reached SR11 billion.

envoy is due here to try to restart the Palesti-

nian autonomy talks, Egypt's foreign minis-

"Egypt is prepared to return to the bar-

gaining table to discuss some sort of auton-

omy for 1.5 millioo Palestinians on the West

Bank and Gaza Strip, but only if Israel reverses its stand that Jerusalem will be the

authoritative Al Ahram newspaper.

Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali made

his remarks in an interview with the

"We see no chances of success as long as

the current Israeli position remains

and the settlements are negotiable," Ali said.

unchanged, and in fact we expect more obstacles from Mr. Begin if the talks continue.

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Jewish state's capital."

ter said the mission will fail unless Israel

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Join forces against Israel

Syria, Libya to unite

Hafez Assad agreed Tuesday to merge Syria with Libya to strengthen Arab defenses against Israel, a government statement reported. It said Assad's agreement was made in a telegram he dispatched to President Muammar Qaddafi minutes after the Libyan leader called for the merger as the last trench of Arah defense against the Zionist enemy.

Sources said they expected Oaddafi to visit Damascus soon. "The Syrian people and myself were deeply moved by your unity appeal," Assad said in the telegram broadcast by Damascus radio. " This unity appeal has struck an immediate favorable response

We stand together on the path of unity ... and we stretch out our hand to shake yours in order to begin at once the work to hring about this great goal, "

Syria has been calling for unified Arab action to militarily confront Israel ever since Sadat began his peace initiative with the Zionist state.

Syria's unity effort with neighboring Iraq, conceived at the 1978 Baghdad summit, has foundered on old rivalries between the Arab Baath Socialist Party factions that rule the two countries.

If the Libyan people do not agree to support such a union, Qaddafi said he will go and fight as a commando with the Palestinians, " Either this decision is taken or I'm going to take arms and fight in Galilee, " Qaddafi told a crowd of 50,000 gathered to celebrate the eleventh anniversary of the revolution that brought him to power. The speech was broadcast live on Libyan

and Syrian television, Qaddafi praised Syria for resisting the "Zionist aggression." He also called for more Libyan embassies to he transformed into "people's bureaus," particularly in Arab states. He said the United States is willing to go to

war against Saudi Arabia, Libya or other oil-producing states to defend its access to petroleum. In the name of God, starting today, I am

going to inform the Palestinian movement that I am registered as a commando with ' Qaddafi said. 38-year-old army colonel bla

Israel for military activity in Lebanon, where Israeli jets receotly shot down a Syrian MiG-21 fighter." Given what the enemy is doing, it is the responsibility of Libya to idefend Lehanon," Qaddafi said. " I suggest that the people's coogresses should discuss the issue of merger or union between Syria and Libya so each country can bear what the other bears

At that point, hundreds of listeners close to the podium began to chant " we are unionists." Qaddafi smiled and shook his fist and occasionally chanted with them.

Syrian Prime Minister Abdul Rauf Kasm led a Syrian delegation that was in the audience during the address. Qaddafi, an ardent backer of Arah nationalism, has previously sought at separate times to merge with Egypt and Tunisia. One reason for the failure of those efforts was the insistence by Lihya on a stricter adherence to Islamic law than the other two oations were willing to accept.

Qaddafi spoke for oearly three hours. A government-appointed translator provided simultaneous translation from Arabic into English for foreign journalists. He said oilproducing countries "are helpless against the might of the United States." He added: "The United States will not hesitate to launch war against Saudi Arabia or Libya because of oil,

since oil is very important to the Americans," Qaddafi also proposed to sell Libyan oil at discount prices to Libya's allies and friends. He suggested a price of \$20 a barrel might be appropriate, compared to Libya's current price for its top-priced oil of more than \$37 a harrel. He called on Libyan citizens to "march" on Libyan embassies to transform them into people's hureaus, singling out Arab countries.

Qaddafi also said his country plans to strengthen its ties with the Soviet Union, but did not provide details. Libya has bought several billion dollars worth of arms from Moscow and has provided refuelling and repair facilities for Soviet ships in Libyan ports on the Mediteranean.

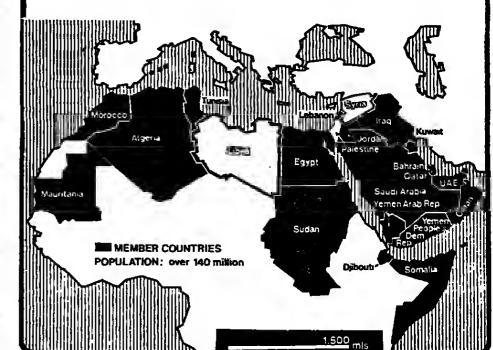
Finally, Qaddafi said Libya will continue to support Malta with financial and material aid

Pine woods burn in Mt. Lebanon

mer resort towns in Lebanon's Christian

heartland northeast of Beirut Tuesday, the 'Voice of Lebanon" radio station reported. The broadcast said the civil defense corps in Mount Lebanon has been mobilized to

fight the blaze that slashed through a fourmile arc of the pine woods overlooking Dhour Shuweir, Bikfaya and Mar Mousa.
The three resorts 33 kilometers northwest



despite differences over their boundary on the continental shelf. A Libyan warship recently prevented a Maltese-authorized oil drilling rig from continuing operations in disputed waters. He said Syria was the "last Arah fortress against Israel."

"If this fortress falls, then the Arah borders

will be open to the Israelis to march on Iraq and even reach Medina," Qaddafi said.

Now that Assad has accepted Qaddaf7s new unity offer, it remains to be seen what. form the proposed merger would actually take and how fast would the two countries go about realizing it.

Jakarta meeting backs Fahd's call for struggle

JAKARTA, Sept. 2 (AP) — The first congress of the world Islamic produce Tuesday supported the call of Crown Prince Fahd to launch a holy war against Israel.

Conference spokesman Sheikh Muhammad Sofwat Saqa Amin, assistant secretary general of Muslim World League told a news conference here that Muslims all over the world have an obligation to heed Crown Prince Fahd's call because of Israel's refusal to follow United Nations resolutions concerning Jerusalem and Palestinian refugees.

He said the conference also decided to issue a resolution calling for a boycott of press reports and films published by countries that support Israel or recognize Jerusalem as the capital of the Jewish state.

The three-day conference, opened here by апо оп мопозу, by over 300 delegates from 50 countries throughout the world including Japan, Australia, the United States and Canada and the Palestinian Liberation Organization.

Yemen leaders meet in Taiz

SANAA, Sept. 2 (AP) — South Yemeni President Ali Nasser Muhammad held talks in North Yemen's twin capital of Taiz with President Ali Abdullah Saleh, the Gulf News Agency reported.

Ali Nasser is accompanied by a highpowered delegation including Abdullah Khammari, minister of state for cabinet affairs, and Saleh Ahu Bakr, depty defense minister and chief of staff of South Yemeni armed forces, the agency said.

North Yemeni President Ali Abdullah

received Ali Nasser io Taiz where he drove across the border from the South on Monday the agency added. The two Yemens have been negotiating unification in accordance with an agreement

Saleh and other North Yemeni officials

The agency quoted Ali Nasser as saying his meeting with Saleh was a "continuation and a new step in the hrotherly dialogue on the way

reached following a brief border war early in

toward restoring Yemeni unity."



of any kind between us and any other govarmament policy is based oo diversifying the ernment regarding armameots supplies," he source of arms. Defense Minister Prince Sultan said here Monday. This has led to sepasaid. "We seek anything new and useful..., we can get from our friends." rate arms, agreements between Saudi Arabia Included in the group of Sandi Arabian arms suppliers are Japan, Belgium, Switzerand the United States, Britain, France and Sweden and others. Producing its own weaponry also is an aim of the Kingdom, and its industries in Kharj

OPENING: Deputy Riyadh Governor Prince Sattam opens the conference of central

bank governors of Islamic countries Monday. Abdul Aziz Al-Quraishi, Saudi Arabian monetary fund director general, right, and Habib Chatti, secretary general of the organization of the Islamic conference, left, represented the Kingdom and OIC respec-

Kingdom's arms sources

diversified, Sultan says

TABUK, Sept. 2 (SPA) — The Kingdom's

serve as both a training ground as well as a

production center. About 600 youths are

trained each year, and already, 3,600 men are

Speaking at a press conference here at the

end of King Khaled's visit to the northern

province, Prince Sultan said his government

looks only for those arms it needs, from

Jerusalem and declare the entire city as

Carter's envoy, Sol Linowitz, arrives in

Egypt Wednesday for talks with Sadat. Linowitz met with Israeli Prime Minister

Menahem Begin Monday. Another meeting

was scheduled for later Tuesday. Begin has

called for an immediate resumption of the

talks. But Sadat wants them to be adjourned

until after the U.S. presidential elections in

Novemner and then to resume with a Camp

Meanwhile, Egyptian Vice-President Hosni Muharak arrived in London Monday

night on the secood leg of a European tour

aimed at stepping up diplomatic pressure on

He will be in London for five days for talks

Mubarak is expected to appeal to Euro-

with Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher and

working at the industries.

Israel must change policy

CAIRO, Sept. 2 (Agencies) — Just a day
before President Jimmy Carter's Mideast
Whelmingly to formally annex Arab East

Israel's capital.

David-style summit.

other politicians.

land, and Austria. The government studies the systems available from these and other countries, he said, then makes its purchases. Prince Sultan said that during his recent

whatever source, "There is no commitment

visit to Austria he signed agreements for the purchase of light weapoos including machineguns, transport vehicles and ammunition, A Saudi Arabian military mission visited Austria later for the same reason. Collective Arah efforts to produce arms

make sense, the prince said, but has to be viewed without forgetting the Arab Industries Organization (AIO) which was based in Egypt. After Egypt signed its peach treaty. with Israel, the deal collapsed. The AIO was financed by Saudi Arabia

Oatar, the United Arab Emirates and Kuwait. When the four countries withdrew, Egypt continued operations alone.

The vastness of the Kingdom deman military installations throughout the country, Prince Sultan pointed out. Part of the King Khaled Military Complex will be ready in two years, with the remainder expected to be finished in four years. Since the defense plan covers the entire country, defense installations won't be confined to just one corner, the

Other projects in the works include King Abdul Aziz Military College — which was begun a few months ago — military schools in Qasim and Al-Dawasser, and the completed paratroop and special forces training center

Also in Tabuk is the oew military hospital m the eastern region, which includes training and teaching facilities for local medical and oursing students, as well as various specialty facilities.

Included in the current five year development plan are major military projects like the King Faisal Air Academy and the oew air base in Kharj. A tender for its construction has been accepted and the main runway already is constructed, Prince Sultan said.

"This will become one of the finest air academies in the Middle East," the prince said adding that "it should be operational at the eod of the (five-year) plan."

Communication system to link three countries

AMMAN, Sept. 2 (AP) - A communications octwork linking Jordan, Syria and Saudi Arabia with telephones, cables and microwave networks was approved at a meeting in Amman Mooday, official sources

The project, estimated to cost \$105 million, will be financed by the Kuwaiti-based Arab Economic and Social Development.

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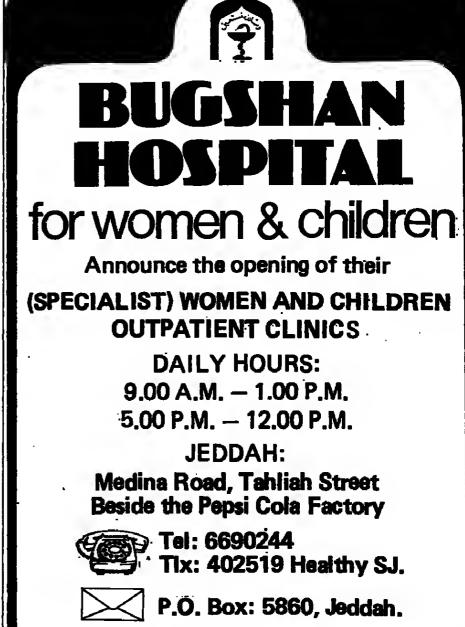


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BEIRUT, Sept. 2 (AP) — A fast-moving forest fire threatened a string of plush sum-

of the capital, are crowded with vacationers and the radio appealed to all fire brigades in Beirut to rush to the scene.

"Unless concerted action is taken quickly, we may have a disaster on our lands," said the radio, which is controlled by the right-wing Phalange Party: Phalangists control the area



Gulf cultural exchange set

Board ponders University plans

Ibn Saud Islamic University's Higher Board approved the university's final accounts for last year and discussed future plans and

admission programs Monday. Higher Education Minister Sheikh Hassan ibn Abdullah Al-Sbeikh, the chancellor of IMISIU, presided over at the meeting. The board also reviewed regulations which were tabled for further discussions.

The board also agreed to transfer the department of libraries of the Arabic Language Faculty to the Social Sciences Faculty.

in other educational developments, the Arab Educational Bureau for Gulf States will carry out a program for promoting cultural cooperation. The program will be implemented in two periods, Sept. 13 to 19 and Oct. 25 to Nov. 4.

Dr. Ali Muhammad Al-Tuwaiiri, assistant director general of the bureau, said Tuesday

visits to Iraq and Kuwait, and the second covers Qatar. Bahrain, the UAE and Saudi Arabia. Talks with officials in charge of cultural affairs in these countries are planned. The participants in the program represent member countries in the educational bureau, Dr. Tuwaijri said.

Meanwhile, the summer Quran memorizatinn school of Hasa held a ceremony to mark the end of its 60-day activity Tuesday. The ceremony was attended by Educational officials in the region, and the students' guardians. Prizes and 250 certificates were awarded to distinguished students.

The summer school was allocated SR80,000 for incentives. For every part of the holy book memorized, students are paid SR200. There are 30 divisions in the Quran. Hasa Education Director Ibrahim Al-

Hussaini said that a new Ouran memoriza-

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beginning of the next academic year. Registration for applicants bas opened at the Ouran memorization school of Hofuf, he said. Studeots will be provided with free transport from and to the school in addition to a monthly incentive of SR250.

In other developments in Hasa, the Social Development Center is engaged in several social, health, cultural and agricultural projects this year. The total cost of the projects amounts to SR445 million and will serve more than 4,500 people.

The director of the center, Khalifa Al-Naim, said Monday that the projects include building several kindergartens io Jafr, Rumailah, Minezla, Umran, and Fudul. The Ministry of Labor and Social Affairs has contributed SR84,000 of the overall cost of the kindergartens, Naim added.

Pakistan to build town near Lahore honoring Faisal

JEDDAH, Sept. 2 — The Pakistan gov-ernment will build a new town which will be named after the late King Faisal, according to embassy sources bere.

They said the town, near the major city of Lahore will include 352 villas which will be reserved for Pakistani nationals serving in Saudi Arabia and other Gulf states. For this purpose the Chairman of Pakistan's House Building Finance Corporation will be visiting the country beginning Sept. 12. He will meet with Pakistani nationals in Jeddah, Mecca, Medina, Riyadh, Dammam and Al Khobar.

The Faisal town will be the second major bousing project to bear the name of the King, who is deeply revered by the people of Pakistan. Already one of the biggest industrial cities in the country, Faisalabad, bears his name. It is the hub of the textile industry in the Punjab province.

King Faisal's mosque in Islamabad will be one of the finest in the country. The highway leading to it is named Shara-e-Faisal, as is the main road of Karachi.





Arab'Eton'opening soon in England

By a Staff Writter

JEODAH, Sept. 2 - What is already being dubbed the Arab "Eton" in England will open officially next week for Arab and other foreign students wishing to pursue their high school education in one of the most picturesque settings in the country.

The school, owned by the Avicenna Foundation, is financed by Saudi Arabian businessmen as a non-profit enterprise aimed at providing good British "public" school education in addition to Arabic and Islamic studies. The idea came from a discussion between the former Iranian Ambassador to Saudi Arabia, Jaafer Raed, and several Saudi Arabian gentlemen in London.

"We discussed the desirability of setting up a great school that can give our boys solid English education and still teach them Arabic and Islamic history and religion," Jaafer said here this week. "The gentlemen I talked to" were at once enthusiastic and offered to put up the money to start the process of realizing the scheme." An Iranian citizen, Jaafer is a well-known Arabic scholar and author. He spent many years in the country's foreign service before quitting last year to devote himself to learning and teaching. He looked for suitable school sites, finding the right location - 125 acres of parkland in the Vale of Evesham Gloucestershire, Lawns surround

its 19th century main building. Eventually the plan may cost well in excess of £1 million as more students are enrolled and the teaching staff bill rises. The school aims at providing one teacher for every ten students to ensure maximum benefits, he

times will be minimized by the injection of a number of British and American students. The foundation will grant scholarships to a few British students while some American boys have already applied for enrollment. Special care, Jaafer said, will be taken to provide the best possible English language laboratories because of the background of the students many of whom will be very week in the language when they first enter the

Because boys will reach Avicenna College with varying levels of experience and under-standing, all students will have to undergo a preparatory program. "The aim is to make sure that each boy is sufficiently fluent in English and its applications to different academic subjects to benefit from his future studies," according to the brochure.

Subsequently the boys will move into their respective classes according to their age and previous experience. In forms five and six, students are prepared to sit for the GCE at both O and A levels, with the aim of obtaining a place for them in a suitable university either in the U.K. or the U.S.A."

Although the school claims that its fees are reasonable and competitive," at £5000 a year they are nearly twice as much as those charged by Eton, one of the most venerable schools in the world. But since it combines

Commerce group okayed for Hasa

HASA, Sept. 2 (SPA) - The Ministry of Commerce agreed in principle to the idea of forming a chamber of commerce and industry in Hasa, officials reported Monday. The ministry's branch in Hasa invited businessmen in the region to attend a meeting on this subject, but the date has not been decided

The branch's director, Abdul Aziz Al-Dabian, said the establishment of a chamber aims at activating and developing the commercial and industrial movement in Hasa and fulfilling businessmen's requirements in the the qualities of both an English and an Apt school rolled into one, and located Gloucester for that matter, the claim may

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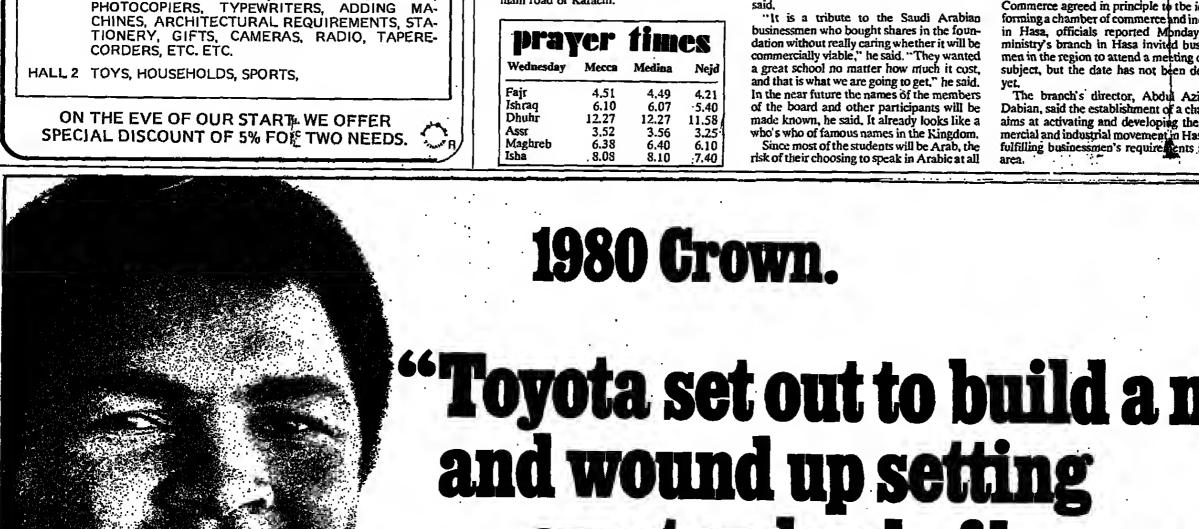
The nuclear tussic among the super-powers has brought the world gradually to a sharp and crucial turn that may explore any moment now. This tussle is part of military game played by the superpower to wield influence at the internation

In fact, the nuclear shadow had begin to fall on the world more than there decades ago, when Hiroshima was devatated by the explosion of an atomb bank followed by yet another bomb which detroyed Nagasaki. These explosions pro duced sharp reactions in the whole world which still feels the impact of that tragety

In their formidable race for supreman the superpowers developed themselve into nuclear powers that started threater ing mankind with total annihilation Although some major powers have declared that they are carrying out their nuclear experiments only for peaceful ourposes, their real intention seems to be other than mere experimentation. Going deeper into the matter, one finds that the nuclear program in war weaponry has become an ordinary matter for these pow-

Political observers, however, believe that a peaceful nuclear program could be considered in the countries of the Third World alone, for they are not yet as far developed militarily as the major inve of the world. In their case, therethere can be no room for nuclear was but development of armaments.

Such a situation would create a me tendency among the superpowers tinue in their race for nuclear super so they can impliess the rest of the will fleir hucker power and influ



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Begin's failure

Israeli defense post vacant

TEL AVIV, Sept. 2 (AP) — Prime Minister Menahem Begin failed Monday in an attempt to fill the vacant defense minister's portfolio as a hard-line member of parliament turned down the top job. The rejection by Moshe Arens, chairman of parliament's foreign affairs and security committee, left Begin himself holding the defense portfolio as he has done since Ezer Weizman resigned over policy disputes in May.

Explaining his reasons, Arens told reporters, "It's no secret that I opposed the Camp David agreements and the peace treaty with Egypt. Arens said he was not willing to accept collective responsibility as a cabinet member in carrying out terms of the treaty.

"We have some very significant differences in opinion on the issues," Arens said after a meeting with Begin. "The conclusion on both sides was that the gap is too large."

Arens, 55, is a member of Begin's own

Herut Party, the dominant center of the prime minister's governing Likud Bloc. Arens emigrated to the United States as a teenager and came to Israel in 1948. He is an aeronautical engineer educated in the United

States, and he advocates a strong military policy relying on weapon ry built in Israel. If Arens had taken the post it would have meant three of Begin's top ministers had opposed the Camp David accords and the Israel-Egypt peace treaty. Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir and Finance Minister Yigal Hurvitz also refused to support the peace

Begin now spends one day a week attending exclusively to defense ministry affairs an arrangement his critics say is a dangenous lack of attention to Isracl's basic security problem. But Begin has been unable to find a candidate acceptable to the fractious parties in his coalition.

Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon, the Hawkish ex-general who directs the settlement of Jews in occupied Arab territories, campaigned publicly for the defense job, but the Democrats and Liberals in the coalition said they would pull out, causing the government to fall, if Sharon were appointed. Deputy Defense Minister Mordechai Zippori, who runs the ministry in Begin's absence, also wants the job but hasn't

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Arens, asked about Begin's continued cahinet troubles, commented, "luckily I'm not the man who has to deal with that."

Begin apparently has shelved his first proposal for a reshuffle: to move Shamir from the foreign ministry to defense and make Energy Minister Yitzhak Modai foreign minister. Modai has withdrawn his acceptance of the offer.

BAHRAIN. Sept 2(R) - Bahrain's Prime

Officials said the prime minister, would also talk about Arab and international issues

Izzat Ibrahim, vice chairman of the fraqi Revolutionary Command Council.

Sheikh Khalifa was accompanied by the interior minister, Sheikh Mohammed Ben Khalifa Al Khalifa, and the Information

Minister, Tariq Almoayyed. Since the revolution in Iran, some cleargymen there have revived claims renounced by the late Shah - to the Gulf island, although the revolutionary government has sought to allay Bahrain's fears. Inquiry into Arab complaints urged

down beef prices that recently jumped to about 12 dollars a pound. Beef is the indicator of Egypt's inflation. Without it, Egypoans will probably turn to chicken and fish. It was not immediately clear if the ban applied to lamb, another favorite of

ALEXANDRIA, Sept. 2 (AP) — In an attempt to slow down inflation, President.

Anwar Sadat Monday banned the slaughter

of beef, a keystone of Egypt's consumer goods, for a month. Sadat said that at the end

of 30 days the government will lift the ban

and flood the market, an attempt to drive

Sadat bans

for 30 days

beef slaughter

consumers here. "This is outrageous. It affects the daily life of the people," Sadat said of beef prices. His announcement came in an address at his summer villa near the Mediterranean sea. The statement was to be aired later in the day

over Egyptian television. "Slaughter (of beef) will be stopped for

one month altogether," the president said. Inflation is put at about 30 percept a year here where the annual per capita income is only about 350 dollars. Buying power over the past year has fallen far behind prices because merchants refuse to abide by government pricing policies.

A reason for this is the mushrooming population. A million people a year are added to Egypt's population of 42 million. This means a greater demand for essential commodities. tempting retailers to charge more for items.

out of reach of the lower-income Egyptians.
Sadat blasted merchants for pushing up beef prices. He said they were "exploitingthe people's blood."



Minister, Sheikh Khalifa Ben Salman Al Khalifa, left here Tuesday for a three-day visit to Baghdad where officials said he would discuss ways of further bolstering relations with Iraq, which have become closer since the

during the visit which as at the invitation of

Amnesty doubts Israeli denials on brutality

in the occupied West Bank, Gaza Strip and Golan Heights. The London-based human rights organization said in a 74-page report that it was seriously concerned about the persistent allegations. It dubbed repeated denials by the Israeli authorities as "not con-

LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP) - Amnesty

International Tuesday urged Israel to set up a

public inquiry into complaints by Arab

detainees of brutality by Israeli interrogators

The report noted: "while it may be true, as the authorities coaim, that some of these allegations have been falsely brought to serve as ammunition io a propaganda campaign, it is also true that official rebuttals are not convincing and do oot seriously weaken the allegations." The organization, which won the 1977 Nobel peace prize for its campaign on behalf of poliocal prisoners around the world, cited four specific cases of brutality.

These included accusations by ooe

Israelis to evict three Arab families from Jerusalem homes

JERUSALEM, Sept. 2 - Three Palestinian families were ordered Friday to quit their houses next to Menahem Begin's new office in east Jerusalem. The prime minister is planning to move across the disputed city within the next few weeks as a demonstration that Jerusalem will remain the capital of the Zionist state. All three families, numbering about 30 people, said Friday night that they would not leave voluntarily. If they stick to their word Begin is faced with an embarrassing challenge in which international sym-

pathy will be on the Arabs' side. The controversy comes on the eve of the return of the here of the American mediator, Sol Linowitz, who is seeking to revive the Palestinian autonomy negotiations.

The eviction notices instructed the families to leave immediately in accordance with expropriation orders which they had been ignoring for 12 years. The Israel lands authority threatened to I take "all legal procedures at its disposal" if they did not comply.

ALEXANDRIA, (R) - Former Israeli Defense Minister Ezer Weizman, currently on holiday in Egypt, had a 90-minute meeting here Tuesday with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat. Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali and Defense Minister Ahmed Badawi were also at the meeting.

BUCHAREST. (AP) — Official talks started here Monday between Rumanian Foreign Minister Stefan Andrei and Syrian Vice Premier and Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam on bilateral and international issues. Khaddam arrived earlier in the

CAIRO, (AFP) - The United States will spend\$ 102 million to finance several project in Egypt, including the modernization of electricity systems, according to the terms of six economic agreements Egypt and the United States signed Monday.

TRIPOLI, Libya, (AP) - Serious-faced high-school students — girls and boys — dominated Libya's annual military parade Monday as the nation stepped closer to its goal of arming the entire population, All students from 15 to 19 years of age were required for the first time this summer to spend two to three weeks in military training camps, learning to handle arms, icluding rifles and guided missiles, according to officials at the government information bureau,

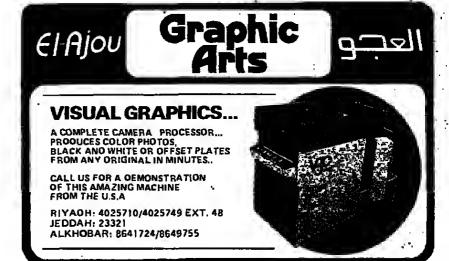
ADDIS ABABA, (R) — Ethiopian head of state Mengistu Haile Mariam has told President Jimmy Carter that the United States agreement to use military facilities in Somalia was a threat to stability in the Hom of Africa.

detainee that he was beaten until he was unconscious, kicked in the face and genitals during interrogation and made to stand tied to a pole, for up to 48 hours at a time.

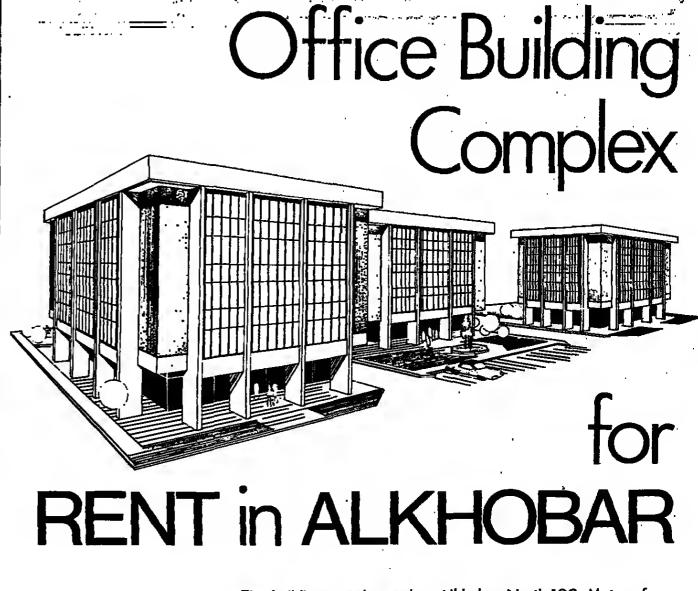
The Amnesty report expressed doubts about the impartiality of Israeli military courts. It urged immediate steps "to ensure that security suspects under interrogation are protected against possible ill-treatment," including prompt and regular visits from family lawyers and "independent" doctors.

Amnesty said its recommendations were not based on any specific brutality allegations because present arangements for dealing with Arab suspects made it impossible to assess factually either the accusations or Isarel's denials.

"Discussion of individual accusations could only lead to sterile dispute," it said. In three of the four brutality accusations cited by Amnesty, the organization said its own officials had received the complaints' testimony but dates were changed in the report to protect the individuals from identification.



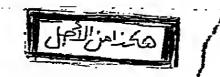




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Stevens' rebellion said 1 week from destruction

- The government of newly independent Vanuatu believes the rebellion on the island of Espiritu Santo will be crushed by the end of the week, a government spokesman said Tuesday.

Government spokesman John Beasant said one of the two remaining secessioniss strongholds had decided to lower the rebel flag—a move he described as "most helpful."

Beasant said the only pocket of resistance now left was Port Olry on the eastern sea-board, where about 100 armed rebels continued to defy the government.

He said Papua New Guinea troops. brought in to quell the rebellion which broke out shortly before the then-New Hebrides achieved independence in late July, had not yet been deployed around Port Olry, although they were conducting sweeps through the surrounding countryside. The spokesman said Jimmy Stevens and other principal leaders of the rebellion remained in

custody at Luganville, following the fall of their headquariers at the village of Vanafo during the weekend.

They were still being interrogated, and so far, only a handful of the rehels had been transferred to prison in the capital. Port Vila. the spomesman said.

Meanwhile, the Vanuatu government is actively trying to encourage people to return to their homes on Espiritu Santo following the collapse of the rebellion.

However, many people said here they were afraid to go back yet. The government has now reopened the post office in Luganville and people whose houses were looted are being encouraged to return under the protection of the Papua New Gumea troops.

Nobody has yet set a time on the length of stay of the troops, but sources here said it was likely to be "a matter of months."

But the presence of the troops is deterring some former Santo residents and do not want to return and have to live under the protection of a machine gun.

Strife sparks Brazil arms exports

RIO DE JANEIRO, Sept. 2 (AFP) -Brazil is the first developing country to start its own large-scale. arms exporting industry, although it is still minuscule beside the four 'majors' of the United States, the Soviet Union, France and Britain.

Arms sales for 1980 are expected to reach \$500 million as a result of an ambitious mar-



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keting offensive, including advertising in the newspapers of Gulf states, which even so is

just in its early stages. For sale are Brazilian

light tanks, armored cars, amphibious trucks, military training aircraft and helicopters. "Order books are being filled regularly with new foreign contracts," according to arms industry sources. "We bave a whole arsenal of a variety of weapons suitable for

the international market." This new industry was born from necessity 12 years ago when the Brazilian army was fighting a number of local guerrilla actions. Local companies started manufacturing small numbers of light armored cars and tanks modified to operate under Brazilian climatic and geographical conditions.

When the guerrillas bad been overcome, the government realized that it possessed specialized military equipment like allpurpose armored vehicles unavailable anywhere in the world except the Soviet Union. At that moment the Brazilian arms industry

Its center is at Santo-Amaro, in the state of Sao Paulo, where the Engesa Company has a group of 60 engineers researching various arms development projects. The group is aided by 240 other specialists in this field.

A Brazilian speciality is a series of light tanks named after the snakes found in the "green hell" of its equatorial rain forests like Sucuri, "Cascavel", "Urutu" and the latest model "Jararaca."



Executions coming--Doe

MONROVIA, Liberia, Sept. 2 (R) — Liberia's military ruler, Master Sergeant Samuel Doe, has announced his government would resume executions of people he described as enemies of the Liberian people. Doe, who has just returned from a state visit to Ethiopia, told a rally in the south of the country that "any antirevolutionary element caught undermining the progress of the Liberian revolution would be immediately executed."

The Liberian ruler and about 20 other non-commissioned officers and men seized power last April 12. President William Tolbert was assassinated during the coup. Within days, 13 senior officials of the former regime were publicly executed by firing squad for "crimes against the

Informed sources said large numbers of people were in detention pending trial for similar alleged crimes. Among them was one of Tolbert's sons who was arrested when Liberian troops seized the French ambassador's residence where he had been in hiding

Organist closed out

STOCKHOLM, Sept. 2 (R) - The Swedish government has ruled that a young organist who can play only with his toes cannot become a musician or music director in a Swedisb church, a government spokesman

Mats Aakerlund, 25, suffers from a congenital nervous disorder, sits in a wheelchair and lacks normal speech and the use of his arms. Yet he has passed bis degree courses in the organ and often plays in Swedish

WW II Marauders meet again

'It was mud and fighting' in Merrill's Burma

BUENA PARK, California Sept. 2 (LAT) There weren't very many of them, some of them didn't recognize each other, and all of them looked like 60ish middle-elass Ameri-

In the jungles of Burma and China 36 years ago, operating far behind Japanese lines for months, they made legends of themselves and their leader, Maj. Gen. Frank Merrill.

They were Merrill's Marauders, and last

week they were again. They wore slack suits and sport shirts but on their heads were the black or maroon berets of their old Ranger

"I walked close to 900 miles in the swamps and jungles in the months we were back of the lines," said Ray Braden of Colorado Springs, Colorado, who now is president of the West coast group of the Marauders. "It was mud and fighting, a lot of hand-to-hand fighting. Sometimes it was not that close. They were just two or three feet away you couldn't see them. We killed a lot of them."

The adjoining rooms at the Buena Park Hotel began to fill with chatter. Drinks were passed around. Scrapbooks were opened.

We ate raw rice by the handfu! ...' "I wore out three pairs of jungle boots ... " "It didn't matter how sick you got — malaria and dysentery and all — the only time you could get evacuated was if you were shot, and even then it wasn't easy

By the afternoon about 10 Marauders had arrived for the two-day convention. In 1944 there were about 3,000 Marauders. Today, Matthis guessed, there are 225 of "the origi-

nals," many of them on the east coast. Also on hand were nine young men from the army's 75th Ranger Battalion at Fort Lewis, Washington, headed by command Sgt. Maj. Walter Stock, a 6-foot-1, 220-pounder.

He has been a Ranger for 15 years, three of them in Vietnam, and he and his eight men will put on demonstrations of hand-to-hand combat - modern style - for the old Marauders.

The Marauders were specially trained jungle fighters, all volunteers, who answered a presidential call "for a dangerous and hazardous mission." Their expendable units were to spearhead a joint Chinese-American attack on the Japanese in north Burma by

To get to their objective, they walked and fought some 400 miles inland from the Burma coast, destroying enemy supplies and

communications along the way.

Their most spectacular single action out of five big battles was the capture of the Myt-

kyino Airfield in northern Burma. In latter years, many books were written about them, followed by motion pictures, and the name Merrill was immortalized in military annals. "We all knew him, I guess you say personally," said Ray Chubbic, of Cerritos, California. "He was just a guy, right there in the mud with you. I saw bim take the packs off of guys who were tired and carry them

Merrill died in 1955 at Fernandina Beach, Florida, of a heart condition that developed in Burmo.

Bob Nelson, 60, was leaning against a wall of the hotel room with a plastic glass in his hand. "I was just a kid then, 23," he said, "I was in a mortar plateon. During all that time, I only fired my rifle once. We were down in a sort of little hollow where it was kind of quiet, and all the real stuff was going on somewhere around us. But I looked up and saw a sniper in a palm tree up there.

So without saying anything to my buddies, I pumped a cartridge into the chamber and fired. Scared hell out of my pals, but the sniper fell out of the tree. I was one for one

Lowly ferry strands NATO convoy

SOUTHAMPTON, England Sept. 2 (AP) - A convoy of 36 British army trucks carrying vital equipment for a continent-wide NATO exercise designed to test the Western response to attack was stranded at Southampton docks Monday -- because there was no room on a civilian ferry.

Red-faced defense ministry officials said the trucks, carrying spares and supplies for armored units, have been re-routed to Harwich to catch a chartered ferry for Belgium early Tuesday.

Army sources admitted that dozens of Chieftain battle tanks and other armor curried to the continent aboard a chartered Danish ferry, the Dana Fortuna, from Southampton could only operate efficiently for 48 The snafu came at the beginning of the two-week exercise, "Crusader 80," in which around 30,000 British troops and most of their weapons and equipment will be moved across the English Channel to reinforce the 55,000-strong British Army of the Rhine, 10s the biggest British military maneuver in Europe since World War II.

An army spokesman explained: "The loading plan was based on information given to us by the Danish ferry. But when they had loaded all the tanks on board, they found there wasn't enough room for the supply trucks. The spokesman added: "In a real war, of course, other ships would be in port at the same time and the surplus vehicles would have been diverted to them."

hours without the supplies carried by the Unrest may bring postponement of Uganda poll

KAMPALA, Uganda Sept. 2 (AP) -Mounting violence and political instability in Uganda bave raised speculation that the east African country's first elections since 1962, tentatively scheduled for Sept. 30. may be postponed.

Despite repeated assurances from the ruling six-man military commission that took over after ex-President Godfrey Binaisa was overthrown last May, some Ugandans now are questioning whether the polls will be held

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"I'd say that at this point, the least likely result of (the May takeover) will be free and fair elections," said a senior civil servant who

asked not to be identified. The speculation has beightened because few, if any, preparations for the promised elections have so far been made. Officials said the authorities have not yet compiled an electoral register, printed ballot papers or demarcated electoral districts.

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SMACK: Australia's Kim Hughes hits a 4 past the helmet of Mike Gatting off the

In test with England

bowling of England in the ceotenary cricket test at Lord's, in England.

bright finish to the cricket centenary test

Friday and Saturday, Australia's captain

Greg Chappetl and his vice-captain Kim

Hughes set out to make up lost time. In about

90 minutes Chappell made 47 not out and

Australia's fast bowlers Dennis Lillee and

Len Pascoe dismissed England for 205.

Australia had declared at 385 for five Satur-

day. At the end of Monday's play the

Australians had made 106 for two in their

second innings. A full day's play is scheduled

Australia's grip on the match was due to

shrewd captaincy by Chappell and superb fast

bowling by Lillee and Pascoe. Chappell kept

his two pace men working in alernate spells,

with the spinners. Ashley Mallet and Ray

Bright, taking it in turns to hold one end

Then he was rested and Pascoe came on to

England began the day on one for no wicket, in reply to Australia's 385 for five

declared. Graham Gooch was Lillee's first

victim, lobbing an easy catch to square leg-

Bill Athey, playing in his first test match, helped his Yorkshire colleague Geoff

Boycott to take the score to 41 and then

dropped for four tests, joined Boycott and

England enjoyed their only spell of real suc-

cess all day. The third wicket pair added 96,

and it began to look as if England might chal-

But Gower became too venturesome and

lenge Australia's formidable score.

David Gnwer, back in the team after being

edged a ball from Lillee into his stumps.

take the next five wickets.

with the total at 10.

Lillee took the first four wickets of the day.

for Tuesday, when the match ends.

Hughes 38 not out.

After eight hours had been lost by rain

Tanner after repeat of Borg upset in '79

advisable to go into a match with Bjorn Borg riding an 18-month slump, yet Roscoe Tanner doesn't seem worried.

Actually, Tanner's doldrums ended a few weeks ago, even though he hasn't won a tournament since March 1979 at Washington D.C. and he will enter his quarterfinal match with Borg at the U.S. Open on Wednesday with the confidence that he can repeat his 1979 upset of the lop-seeded Swede in the same round here.

"The last couple of weeks, I ve played well, trained hard, and have been putting more pressure on my opponents," said Tanner of the U.S., the 11th seed in this event, "I'm moving better, getting more service breaks because I'm running down more balls.

"I'm winning sets 6-2 and 6-1 with two or three breaks where I was just getting by or losing them."

Tanner had been losing regularly since his fine performances last summer that brought him to the finals at Wimbledon, where he lost to Borg, and the semilinals here, where he fell to Vitas Gerulaitis.

'I should have won that match," he admitted. "I was up two sets and blew it."

After that loss, Tanner's play became spotty. "Maybe I got a bit lackadaisical and didn't train as well," said the left-hander with tennis' most feared serve, "My weight was up, maybe I lost my motivation.

"I was a little tired late last year, I don't have the makeup to play 12 months."

Things are working well for Tanner again now and, in comparison to his memorable upset of Borg last year, he feels he's in the right frame of mind and body. "I'm better fit this year," he noted, "My

game is quicker in some areas. I'm lighter on my feet. But my return of serve isn't as good." It will be Borg, however, who must worry about returning Tanner's 100-plus mph serves. "Roscoe has really been sharp," said Borg. "The match will depend on how he is serving. If he serves well, it will be harder for

"The hard courts are the reason I ve had luck here," said Tanner, "Borg can't volley short balls that well here and he has to come in more.

Tanner has been looking forward to meeting Borg - or any of the top three of Borg, John McEnroe and Jimmy Connors,

"I'm working tn get back to the top four or five." said Tanner, who ended 1979 ranked No. 5. "I get keyed up for the majors and · especially to play any of the top three.

"I get keyed up naturally for that, In the smaller tournaments, I have to force myself to get up. Not here.'

In other play, Pesky Wojtek Fibak, the 14th seed, eliminated fourth-seeded Guillermo Vilas, the 1977 champinn, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. 6-3. Fibak, a quarterfinalist at both Wimbledon and the French Open earlier this year, effectively scampered around the court to beat the left-handed Argentinian, whose

baseline game is better suited for slower surfaces than the Open's cement floor. The crucial service breaks in the fourth set came in the fifth and ninth games.

Vilas was bothered by pain in his right thigh in his loss to Fibak. Poland's only pro-

"I couldn't move sideways," said Vilas, the 1977 Open champion. "He didn't play anything special but I didn't play well."

The tnumph was a very special one to Fibak. "I think this match was more important to me than any other," said Fibak, "I was reading how I do well but never in the majors. That's a real challenge to me.'



Roscoe Tanner

Fibak answered a lot of the doubts about his skills in big matches by playing steady enough to keep Vilas off balance.

"The wind, heat and weather were advantages to him, not to the man who has to attack" Fibak added. "But the hardcourts are an advantage to me."

He'll try to use that advantage in the quarterfinals against unseeded Johan Kriek of South Africa, who beat Buster Mottram of

Britain 6-4, 5-7, 6-3, 6-4. Martina Navratilova lost 7-6, 6-4 to 18year-old Hana Mandlikova of Czechoslovakia, Navratilova's native land. Once more. Martina couldn't find happiness at the National Tennis Center, having said earlier she would "avoid this tournament if I could."

In other women's play, No. 6 Dianne Fromholtz of Australia was eliminated by No. 13 Pam Shriver 3-6, 6-1, 6-1; Tracy Austin, the top seed booted No. 10 Virginia Ruzici of Romania 6-1, 6-0, and No. 11 Kathy Jordan was beaten by Mima Jausovec of Yugoslavia 7-5, 6-3. No. 3 Chris Evert Lloyd blasted Joanne Russell 6-2, 6-1.

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Australia boosts cricket lead pulled a ball from Lillee into his stumps. He LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP) — Australia hit out boldly at Lord's Monday night and built made 45 and England were 137 for three. up a lead of 286 over England, with eight At 151 Boycott, who had made 62, was caught at the wicket and became Lillee's second innings wickets left, in a bid to make a

fourth victim. lan Botham, the England captain, fell to Pascoe for a "duck," mistiming a high hit to leg. Graeme Wood ran back from mid-wicket and failed to hold the ball at the first attempt, but juggled with it and had it safely in his

hands as he rolled over. That was 158 for five.

Split with Houston

Pirates snap loss streak

NEW YORK, Sept. 2 (AP) - The struggl- . ing Pittsburgh Pirates stopped an eight-game losing streak Monday, beaong the Houston Astros 7-5 in the second game of their Labor Day doubleheader as pitcher Riek Rhoden rapped a home run and two doubles.

Houston won the opener 10-4 behind two RBIs each by Terry Puhl and Rafael Landestoy, and the losing streak was Pittsburgh's longest since the 1968 Pirates dropped 10 straight.

In the nightcap. Houston took a 2-0 lead in the second on RBI singles by Denny Walling and Alan Ashby before the Pirates charged back to take command with the help of Rhoden's hitông.

Elsewhere in the National League Gary Matthews collected four hits, including a pair of doubles, to lead the Atlanta Braves in a 9-2 victory over the Chicago Cubs.

George Foster continued bis torrid hitting with two singles, a double and a triple, driving in two runs and scoring two more, while pacing the Cincinnao Reds to an 8-1 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals behind Joe Price's five-hitter.

Steve Carlton won his 21st garpe of the season, striking out nine batters with a seven-hitter and Bob Boone drave in the winning run as the Philadelphia Phillies beat the San Francisco Giants 6-4.

In AL night action, Ken Singleton drove in three runs with two homers and Gary Roenicke added a solo round-tapper, as the Balumore Orioles defeated the Seattle Manners 5-4.

Dick , Drago, making his first start in more than a year, allowed five hits in 6 2-3 innings and the Boston Red Sox used three relief pitchers to save a 4-3 victory over the California Angels. Bob McClure, making the first start of his

major league career, pitched a six-hitter to give the Milwaukee Brewers a 6-1 victoryover the Kansas City Royals.

John Grubb drave in five runs with a three-run homer and a double, as the Texas Rangers defeated the Toronto Blue Jays 9-0 behind the seventh-hit pitching of Doc

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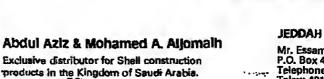
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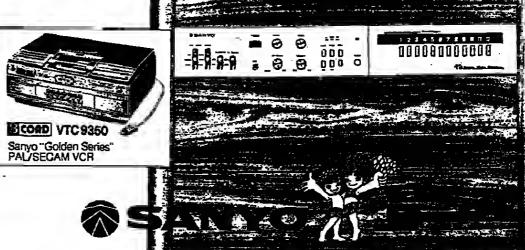
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TIME FOR PRESSURE

The American and international news media carried the report of the press confessione called by the Republican candidate for the presidency Ronald Reagan, in which he recounced his former undertaking to restore diplomatic links with Taiwan once he is elected for the job.

That move did not come out of any good will on Reagan's part toward China. It was directly caused by Chinese anger at the statement by George Bush, Reagan's vice presidential candidate, when visiting China, in which be reiterated the original Republican undertaking oo Taiwan. China's response was as immediate as it was decisive. And the Republicans changed their mind.

Now China, one might argue, is a major power, so that the speed of the Republican response is understandable. Yet, on the other hand, China depends a great deal oow on American imports, and its commercial ties with the United States are growing yearly. This, however, counted for nothing when it came to what the Chinese leadership

considers a matter of principle. The question to ask is why Chioa's anger can have such immediate effect on the Republicans while Arab anger, so often stated, meets no response? Reagan had stated clearly that in the eveot of his election to the presidency he will recognize "united Jerusalem" as Israel's capital and will move the American embassy thence from Tel Aviv. He has made a list of advisers containing a oumber of well known Zionists, io additioo to two Israeli nationals. He is yet to show any consideration whatever to the grievances of the Araba.

The often advanced explanation for this is the Jewish vote io the United States which no candidate can ignore. And that the Arabs have no comparable means of moving things their way. This explanation fails to coovince, when we take the case of China into consideratioo. There is hardly a "Chinese vote", and yet the weight of China's displeasure was so quickly felt and responded to.

What no one can deny is that the Arab world has more means to influence eveots in the United States than China. The Americans need the Arabs more than they do the Chinese: There is Arab oil, Arab finance and Arab markets: all of these can be used as means of pressure to extract similar recantations to the one Reagan accorded

And the time for such pressure is now; wheo there is, just barely, room to maneuver in the Middle East crisis.

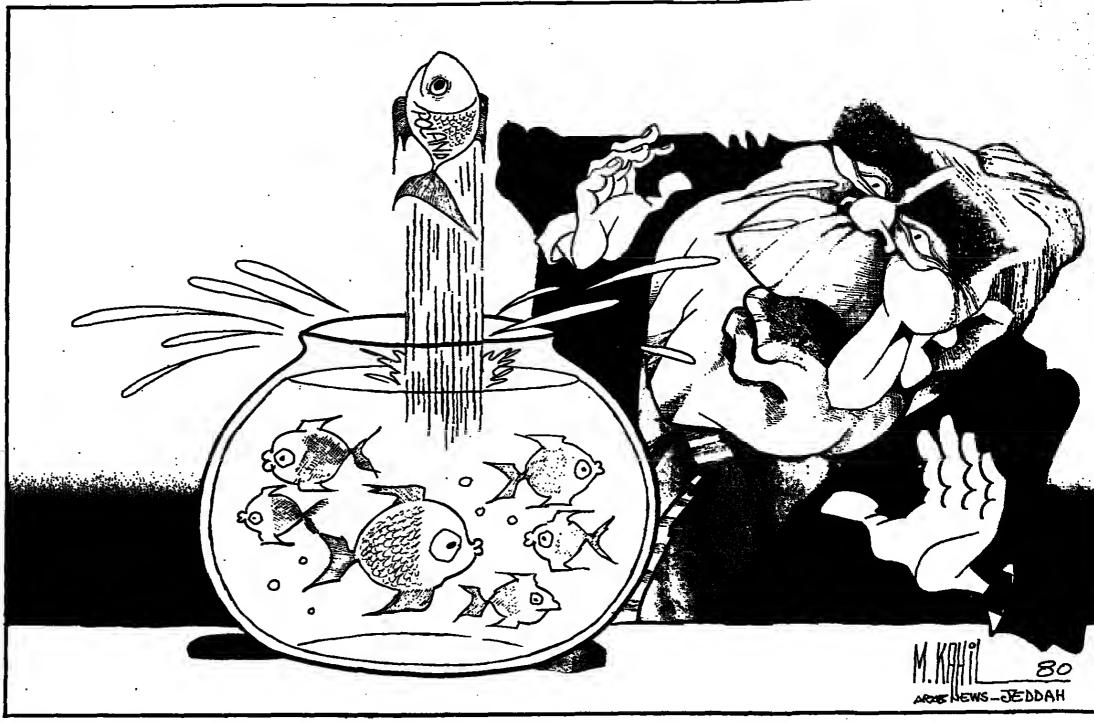
MORE INTRANSIGENCE

At a time when only three minor embassies remain io Jerusalem. Menahem Begin finds in the increasing political isolation of Israel as a result of his government's stands only further justification for more intransigence and aggression. He has ordered that some family homes to Arab East Jerusalem where he wants to set up his office be takeo over. He also told Sol Linowitz, the American eovoy to the Middle East, that it was Egypt which has broken the Palestinian autonomy negotiations, and that it was for Egypt therefore to resume them, and oo Israel's terms.

In other words, Begin has flouted both the ucanimous U.N. rejection of his move over Jerusalem and the view of its two co-partners in the "autocomy talks". In fact, he went further in this second regard. wheo he also rejected Egypt's call for a tripartite summit of the parties to Camp David, calling the proposal a waste of time. The truth is that Israel wants to use the time between now and the end of the American presidential elections for the accomplishment of a maxiroum oumber of "facts", with which to confront the United States once the latter is free to face up once more to the real issue of the

Middle East, the question of Palestinian rights. The danger at present is that the Israelis are free from any external pressure against their boundless greed and aggressiveness. Egypt can do nothing except hreak the talks, while the Uoited States is occupied with the presidential elections. And this has led some Arabs to call for patience, and to await the results of the elections in November

before trying to break out of the present impasse. Such a view would indeed he the logical one, had the Israelis heen content to sit out the interim period. But this is not what they are doing. Their aggressive moves against the population of the occupied territories continue and intensify, and will not cease until all hope of a real autonomy for the Palestinian people is lost. This means that Israel's designs have to be confrooted on all levels and by all possible means. For unless this is done, the Arab world will find before long that cooditions have changed completely.



Behind Soviet excuses in Kabul

By Mark Frankland

Officials who have the job of explaining Soviet policy to the West have been trying for mooths to allay fears about the long-term meaning of Moscow's invasion of Afghanistan. They have said repeatedly that Afghanistan was oot a preinde to further Soviet military moves. "We don't regard Afghanistan as some sort of springboard for military incursions in other areas," was bow Georgi Arbatov, bead of Moscow's Institute of the USA and Canada, put it in a recent interview with an American oewspaper.

Arbatov and other Russian like Izvestia 's commentator, Alexander Bovin, bave sought to jusufy this by explaining why the Soviet leadership felt it bad to intervene in Afghanistan.

They say that, from the Soviet point of vica, the situation io Afghanistan was disastrous in December 1979. The Marxist-Leninist regime installed by the April 1978 revolucioo (coup might be a more accurate word) was on the point of collapse.

According to Bovin, "we had either to bring in troops or let the Afghan revolution be defeated and the country turned into a kind of Shah's Iran."

Bovin and other Soviet foreign affairs experts argue, both in print and in private conversations, that any oew regime that might bave been set up by the Islamic freedom fighters would have been violently ano-Soviet.

What is more, Bovin claims, it would have opened the way "for a massive American military presence in a country which borders on the Soviet Union and this was a challenge to our country's security."

Arbatov has even said that the United States fleet, gathered in the Indian Ocean to put pressure oo Iran over the American hostages, was also suspected by Moscow of being there to interveoe in Afghanistan.

The argument that Soviet security was involved. and that it was going to the help of a legal governmeot at the latter's request (which Moscow must stick to in spite of the killing of President Amin after the arrival of the Soviet troops) are the tradicional arguments of a great power. And Bovin, for one, is ready to accept that. "We knew that the decision to bring in troops

would not be popular in the modern world," he has written, "even if it was absolutely legal. But we also knew that we would have ceased to be a great power if we refrained from carrying the burden of taking unpopular but occessary decisions, extraordinary decisions prompted by extraordinary circumstances."

If people in the West were convinced that the Soviet Union was behaving simply like any other great power, they would be less worried that they are by Afghanistan. But they are not at all sure that Russia is out a great power with a difference: an ideological great power which believes that it is doing the work of history (as revealed to Marxist-Leninists) by expanding its influence and beloing to

create more Communist governments.

These doubters have already picked oo a recent. comment by Bovin: "History and politics cannot always be fitted ioto

legal formulas. There are situations wheo noninterveodoo is a disgrace and a betrayal. Such a situation developed in Afghanistan. "And when I hear voices of protest from people who claim to be democrats, bumanists and even

revolucionaries, saying that they are outraged by Soviet"intervention," I tell them this: it is logic that prompted us. If you are against Soviet military aid to revolucionary Afghanistan, then you are for the victory of counter-revolution. There is no third way.

Is this a revolutionary power or a great power talking? Bovin has used this argument in front of Western audiences and its purpose is not to win understanding from Western governments but support from Communists and the Left in general in the noo-Communist world.

It is classically Bolshevik. "There is no third way" was Lenin's theme in his hattle against his other opponents on the Left. It is Moscow's argument against Peking and all other wayward ruling Communist parties.

In the context of Afghanistan it is also a tactical argument to shore up the Soviet posicion in the Communist world (including East Europe, where the Afghan adventure is out popular). But the fact that the Russians use it at the same time as they explain to the West that they have merely behaved like any other great power is bound to cause at least confusion and at most the deepest distrust (OFNS)

The 'hill of beans' row

(EDITOR 'S NOTE: The writer is national legal director of the American Civil Liberties Union). By Bruce J. Ennis

NEW YORK -

The controversy over President Jimmy Carter's discussion of classified information with his brother Billy illustrates three overlooked points: The U.S. government unnecessarily classifies much information that is trivial while claiming falsely that its release would damage national security, government officials routinely leak classified information favorable to themselves; unnecessary classification and selective leaking iocrease the likelihood that secrecy laws will be enforced against critics of government but not against friends. The coovictions of Rooald Humphrey and David Truong underscore these points.

Io 1978, the administration prosecuted Humphrey for giving "confidential" documents to Truong, allegedly ao Bgent of North Vietnam. Humphrey and Troung claimed, unsuccessfully, that the documents did not contain information that could harm national security; they were sentenced to 15 years. (In a similar case prosecuted by the administratioo, the court ruled that" the propriety" of a classificacion is irrelevant; the fact of classificaooo "is enough.") Truong was also convicted of acting as a foreign agent without notifying the governmeot. Unlike Billy Carter, he was not given an opportunity to avoid prosecution by filiog

The Senate is investigating the possibility that President Carter gave "confidential" documents to bis brother, an agent of Libya. Like Humphrey and Truong, Carter claims that the documents do not cootain information that could barm national security. As bis press secretary Jody Powell said, the information in those documents did not amount" to a hill of beans."

Powell was right. One "confidencial" cable reveals that Libyan news media coverage of Billy's visit was "routine throughout," that 400 Americans attended an embassy recepopn, and that Billy noted "rapid progress" io Libya, "particularly in the agricultural field." Not much there to shake the oatioo's security. A second "confidencial" cable

reveals the embarrassing fact that the U.S. charge d'affaires in Libya had not received a shipment of household effects, but he had enjoyed a "private swim-lunch" with Billy, who was "strictly on the wagon." Another "confidential" cable complains that the "secretarial problem" of the embassy in "genuine," and ontes that the Lihyans had tried unsuccessfully to delay Billy's visit "because of shortage of hotel space.

Cables are supposed to be marked "confidential"

only if unauthorized disclosure would "damage" national security. Under those standards, the Libyan cables should never have been classified. According to The New York Times, the U.S. State Dengament admits that classified but "nonschsitive cables were, in practice, routinely released," and according to The Washington Star. the former State Department spokesman Hodding Carter 3rd acknowledged that the department "leaks like a sieve," and said that the White House, National Security Council and the Defense Department also leaked information self-serving reasons and for policy reasons."

Control of information increases political power. By classifying information unnecessarily, leaking favorable information, and prosecuting those who leak embarrassing information, the government augments its power and shapes public perception of

I do not suggest that Carter should be prosecuted if he gave "classified" documents to Billy. No one should be prosecuted for dissemioating improperly classified but harmless information. Nor do I suggest it was wrong to warn Billy to register or face prosecutioo. But there should not be one standard for the politically powerful and another for the politically weak. The same rules that apply to a president and his brother should apply to Humphrey and Truong.

Government officials are unnecessarily classifying harmless information, leaking favorable and politically advantageous information, and selecovely enforcing the law. Although the conteots of the Libyan cables did not amount to "a hill of beans," the incident should prompt Americans to quescion the reality of their constitutional commitmeot to equal jusce under the law. - (NYT)

Saudi Arabian **Press Review**

Newspapers Tuesday led with a report on the military parade in Tabuk Monday under the auspices of King Khaled, who also opened a military hospital bearing his name. Papers also included as part of their lead stories the mooarch's return to Newspapers used oo their front pages Minister of

Defense and Aviatioo Prince Sultan's press interview Mooday. He had outlined the defense policy of the Kingdom and reaffirmed that the Kingdom will cootinue to obtain sophisticated weapons for its armed forces. The story of the conference of the Governors of the Islamic Ceotral Banks occupied front page columns of some oewspapers, which also gave prominence to the inaugural speech by Riyadh Deputy Governor Prince Sattam. Prince Sattam stressed the oeed for solidarity amog the Islamic states.

Some newspapers gave front-page treatment to the first Islamie Information Conference which was opened in Jakarta Monday by President Suharto of Indooesia. They also highlighted King Khaled's message to the conference in which he expressed the hope that it would respond to the Kingdom's call for the boly war.

In a froot-page story, Al Riyadh reported that economic conditions are getting worse in Egypt, adding that President Sadat has decided to ban the sale of meat for one month owing to the " criminal" hike in the prices of meat. The Pilgrimage Committee's intensive activities in connections with the upcoming Haj seasoo figured promineotly in AI Medina newspaper.

Newspaper editorials dealt with a variety of sub-

jects ranging from the King's visit to Tahuk, to Defense and Aviaoon Minister Prince Sultan's press conference, to the Third Conference of the Governors of Islamic Central Banks. Al Medina editorial referred to an announcement made by Governor of Tabuk Prince Abdul Majid, revealing a comprehensive plan to modernize and beautify the city. The paper said this was one of the benefits of the royal visit to the oorthero province, adding that the projects dedicated by the mooarch in Tabuk show the strong bonds that exist between the people and their leader. The news of the Tabuk governor is only one example of many that will come from several towns of the north in the near future as the rural areas will see further developmeots, the paper added.

Dealing with the Defense and Aviation Minister's press conference of Mooday, Al Riyadh highlighted the minister's stress on conscription which is expected to come in force sooo. The paper said this was extremely necessary, adding that the Ministry of Defense would make all efforts to see this policy succeeds. It has already begue to work for the welfare of the armed forces personnel, equipping them . with the most sophisticated weapons, said the paper. It added that wise selection of the source of arms provides testimony to the fact that the Kingdom has always avoided relying on one country for

Al You commended Prioce Sultan's on his press interview, saying it has illuminated defense achievemeots. His talk has instilled great confideoce in the people, so that they understand the meaning of freedom and the importance of a responsible statement, the paper added. Commenting on the military parade. Okuz noted that it reaffirmed confidence in the country's military prowess and the technological development of the Saudi Arabian armed forces. The leadership's resolve to develop the armed forces on modern lines indicates that the present situation demands alterness to avoid the scheming of hostile forces, said the paper. It added that the development of the military sector has received full support from the government so that they always are a powerful protector of the country and its achievements. Monday's military

parade in Tabuk reflects the aspirations placed on the armed forces, it added.

should discuss economic and commercial integra-

Conceotrating oo the conference of the Governors of Islamic Central Banks, Al Jazirah said it is an extraordinary event since it deals with the extraordinary issues of the Islamic world. The conference cootinues in difficult economic and political condi-

tion and the basis on which such an integration must be founded. Blessed with the Islamic fraternity aod a strong situation. They have the richest source of legislation in the Islamic law which aids their framing economic and financial laws on sound basis, the paper said. It said it was possible for the Islamic world to organize the actions of their capitals among themselves and to achieve coordination in tions, said the paper, adding that the Islamic bloc their development programs.



On Sadat's summit call : " No problem. I'll go, but only if we discuss Poland !!

career diplomat settles down in Dhahran

By Jean Grant

Al Khobar Bureau

\HRAN - The new American Consul ral, James M. Ealum is basking in his uran assignment. "I got what I asked he says." Dhahran was one of the better at the time I was available. Both my wife ry and I find the Middle East a compatenvironment, and I've been well and tably received by all the Saudi Arabian American businessmeo I've met."

a week which saw an assassination lpt on the American ambassador to non, John Gunther Dean, and 52 hosstill held in Iran, enthusiasm for any ast diplomatic posting comes as a sur-Surely France, Italy, or the U.K. would eferable, at least for the faint-hearted. s Ealum, however, a former naval ve officer, is not of this company. audi Arabia," he says, "is oot a high-risk for diplomats because the Saudi govent has shown their concern (for our 1) in a very concrete way with support

the police and National Guard." e Consul General, who arrived in iran on the first day of Ramadan, July old Prince Abdul Muhsen Ibn Juluwi he "felt safer in Dhahran than io ington D.C." He respects the Muslim de that whatever happens is God's will, Inds it reassuring to say "In'sh' allah." ium replaces former Consul General Lindstrom who has been appointed for of Iranian affairs in Washington. formality of the Consul General's

office where flags and portraits of King Khaled and President Carter flank Ealum's desk conveys a feeling of ceremony and high purpose to the spacious well-lit room in contrast to the cheerful bustle of the central lobby with its limestone walls and flowery

James Ealum stands slim, tanned and ram-

outstretched in welcome. Spruce in a navy blazer and grey flannels, his white beard immaculately groomed, the soft-spoken diplomat appears every inch a gentleman.

Ealum joined the Foreign Service in 1957 upon graduation from Harvard with an M.A. in Soviet Union Regional Studies. Based the last 10 years in Washington, he worked first



Consul general James M. Estum in his office.

Affairs, then as Director of the Operation Center, reporting directly to the Secretary of State. The Operation Center is the Foreign Service's nerve ceoter which functions round the clock to alert foreign service officers to

> Ealum's overseas postings have included two years in Moscow with the Bureau of Economic Affairs and three years in Tehran as Chief of the consular section.

> Not yet fluent in Arabic, Ealum struggles with ains and idioms three times weekly with a tutor. He hopes he "will not leave here as ignorant of Arabic as I arrived."

> Ealum's staff of 7 American officers with the support of 56 others serves an American community of 25,000 in the Eastern and Northern Provinces. This is almost two thirds of the 40,000 Americans in the Kingdom. Vice Consul Andreas Farsakh believes that the number of Americans, which has tripled since 1973, has now peaked.

The workings of diplomacy have always seemed highly mysterious to the man-inthe-street who suspects that important things are kept hidden in principle. What in fact do the men and women who are U.S-consular officers do once they've passed through those heavy doors locked with secret combina-

James Ealum and John Stahlman, chief of the economic section, described the routine of their days. Much of it is as humdrum as the work of administrators in every field: reading reports and the press, and messages from other missions. Then, said Stahlman, there is the preparing of reports and updates on Saudi development projects." One third of the time is spent visiting," added Ealum, since "to develop the information requires getting outside the office."

Strietly diplomatic matters, said the Consul General, are handled by the embassy in Jeddah, but some of the information used as a basis for decisions is developed in Dhahran. Cameras are not permitted inside the consulate except with special permission to avoid photographs of such information.

The Consulate Geoeral in Dhahran celebrates its 30th anniversary next year. In 1942, the U.S. sent a legation to Jeddah, and Saudi Arabian reciprocated by dispatching a representation to Washington in 1946. Both these offices, explained Daryl Daniels, viceconsul for public affairs, became embassies in 1949. All consular business in the Eastern Province, including the issuiog of passports and registration of births and deaths, was done by foreign service officers on visits from Jeddah. In 1949, a foreign service officer set



HISTORIC: Picture shows Arthur Beverly Allen, then principal consular officer, with the prince of the Eastern Province, Abdul Muhsem Ibn Juluwi. The original picture was taken sometime in 1964-68 when Allen was at the embassy.

up an office in the ARAMCO compound in Dhahran. The following year the office was relocated at the Dhahran Airport. In 1951, the first consul, Parker T. Hart, took up residence in the two newly completed limestone buildings of the consulate general.

Since then, the Consulate General has enjoyed gradual growth. There are now 2 commercial officers, one for business and trade and one for long-range development and planning. An Information Office was set up 3 years ago. It helps Saudi graduates as many as 300 of whom yearly apply there to find suitable graduate training programs in the U.S. This office also makes available the texts of major policy speeches by the President and summaries of U.S. editorials on the Middle East.

In addition to providing routine consular services, the consulate hosts a tax assistor from Jeddah to assist expatriates in filing their returns. Its participation in the workings of the IRS extends no further. "It is a myth that IRS people go through our files," said Consul Farsakh.

The Dhahran Consulate General's main interest is commercial, to obtain the maximum national advantage with the minimum friction. It will help set up 4-to-6 trade exhibits this year. The consulate's work in making business easier for Americans has some advantageous spin-off for the Kingdom's entrepreneurs as well. The Consulate General will assist them free of charge to find appropriate U.S. suppliers, introduce them to American firms seeking representation in the Kingdom, and locate U.S. partners for joint ventures and licensed local production of

stateside brands. Commercial libraries with trade directories and reference works on American industry are available. "A Saudi husinessman interested in buying steel." explained Daniels, "won't likely find out from his travel agent which the big steel cites are. We can help him with such information,"

The Foreign Service Officers of the United States are an clite. Many would like to joio their ranks. About 15,000 Americans take the foreign service exams every year. Only 10 per cent of the candidates exceed the cut-off score in the grueling test of everything from the U.S. Constitution to the state of the fine arts. After an interview and back ground investigation, the 1,500 are trimmed down to a ranked list of 200-400 of both sexes, all races and socio-economic classes. These are the candidates chosen to represent their country abroad.

No Foreign Service officer is allowed to stake out his turf for long in any one part of the world. Tours are usually 2-4 years duration. If the officer is trained in a "difficult" language like Arabic or Chinese, how ever, he either has longer tours of several of them in the language region.

About half of all U.S. ambassadors are career diplomats. The others are political appointees, nominated by the President and confirmed by the Senate. One advantage of political appointees, thought one consular official, is that "they get a better ear from the White House." Whenever a new Presideot is elected, ambassadors submit pro forma resignations. Most are not accepted although more are approved when there is a change of party in power.

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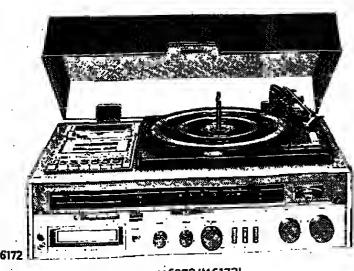


0th anniversary of Paris-New York flight

ANNIVERSARY: Maurice Belloute (center) recently celebrated his 84th birthday trip across the Atlantic He was accom-Diedonne Costes on board the private single engine place of Mr. Breguet in 1930. In response to an invitation by the United States Bellonte has crossed the Atlantic again; but this time on board the Concorde of Air France on 3 Sept. 1980 from Paris to New York. The Concorde pilot was Fernand Andreni (left photo) broke the flight record in 1978 and covered the trip some 5,894 kilo-meters in 3 hours 30 minutes and 11 seconds at an average speed of 1,669.7 k.m. per hour. Maurice Belloute on his return trip from Washington to Paris was a guest of honor of air pilot, Capt. Pierre Chanoine (right) who has a also broken the record last year and covered 6,190 k.m. in 3 hours 15 minutes and 155 seconds at average speed of 1,725 k.m. per hour. Maurice Bellonte and Dieudonne Costes succeeded in breaking light records in 1930 when they flew for 37 hours and 18 minutes, which is equivalent to less than 10 of the daily flight record of the



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Lopez Portillo addresses nation

Mexico using oil revenues

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 21 AP) - Mexico is

using its oil wealth to develop industry and shake off "once and for all the status of a

country that has been stigmatized by a colo-

Tuesday in his State of the Union address.

mark." he said. "We want to stand on our

own two feet in our proper place in the world

and not be given a back seat in a sphere of

influence," he added, referring to relations

New Projects

Lopez Portillo outlined new projects to

reduce population growth, to try to make

Mexico self-sufficient in food production.

expand heavy industries such as steel.

improve education and health and reduce

unemployment. All this, he said, will be

financed with the country's huge new oil

He also announced an increase in Mexico's

proven oil and gas reserves from 50 billion to

60.1 billion barrels and potential ones from

200 to 250 billion barrels, enough to meet the country's domestic and export needs for the

Two-thirds of this is crude pil and the rest

Mexico is not a member of the Organiza-

tion of Petroleum Exporting Countries. It is currently the world's fifth oil producer at 2.3

million barrels a day, with approximately half

of this exported. He said production will be

limited to 2.7 million barrels a day during the

remainder of his six-year administration, which ends Dec. 1, 1982.

Devaluations

The country had suffered to sharp devalua-

tions that slashed the value of the peso by about balf to around 23 pesos to 1 U.S. dollar

when Lopez Portillo took office four years

ago. A huge trade deficit had raised the fore-

ign debt fourfold to \$29 billion and economic

growth dropped from 6 per cent to less than 2

all-time high of 8 per cent for the second

consecutive year. The trade deficit has drop-

ped sharply, the foreign debt went up only \$3

billion - most of it borrowed to develop oil

- and the country's gross money reserves increased from virtually nothing to a record

Inflation

mate inflation this year will jump from 20 to

35 per cent both because of rising costs within

Mexico and the effects of the recession in the

United States, Japan and Western Europe.

growing at the rate of 2.9 per cent a year,

Mexico's population of 68 million is still

However, government economists esti-

Growth in 1980 is expected to stay at an

with the United States.

next 60 years.

per cent.

\$6.3 billion.

"For Mexico, it represents a historic land-

nial past," President Jose Lopez Portillo said

to expand heavy industries

Unions threaten strikes against Thatcher policy

BRIGHTON, England. Sept. 2 (AP) — Britain's labor unions have declared alf-out opposition to Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's planned employment act. designed to curb union power, and warned they will launch a campaign of strikes "if

Delegates representing this country's 12 million-strong organized labor Monday

Russia, Iran still at odds over gas price

TEHRAN, Sept. 2 (R) - The Soviet Union is still in a deadlock with Iran over the price of Iranian gas supplies outgoing Iranian Oil Minister Ali Akbar Moinfar has said.

Iran was still seeking a fivefold increase in price, from 76 cents per million British thermal units (btu) to nearly \$4, he told a press conference Monday.

The Soviet Union had taken 10 billion cubic meters of gas annually through a trans-border pipeline until pipeline damage and the price dispute halted supplies in March. Several talks since then have failed to resolve the dispute.

Moinfar said Iran did not have much gas to supply the Russians because of increased supplies to domestic consumers since last year's revolution.

Moinfar charged that the Soviet Union had been taking gas from Iran "at a next to nothing price" and selling its own gas in Europe at much higher prices. He said the price being sought by Iran was in line with international market rates,

Moinfar, who was not included in the new cabinet presented for parliamentary approval Sunday, said his past year in office had been a very successful one for the Iranian oil industry.

He said the new government would continue the policy of conserving the country's main energy resource for as long as possible. The revenue from oil exports was at present more than enough to cover import, costs, he added.

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ence of the Trades Union Congress, Britian's AFL-CIO, for a motion for "sustained and vigorous campaign of non-cooperation with the government" to block the planned legis-

The vote was taken amid a barrage of blistering attacks on Mrs. Thatcher and the economic and social strategies of her Conser-

Attacks

varive government. Virtually all the 1,200 delegates supported the militant call. Only a handful abstained and none voted against the motion.

Monday's move followed swelling union hostility to the Thatcher government's hardline economic strategy to limit union power and revive Britain's troubled economy through tough monetarist policies. Woes

Although the union movement is in some disarray at present, Monday's move was widely seen as signaling another round of confrootations between the government and organized labor that will add to Britain's

Coalminers' leader Arthur Scargill, a prominent hardliner and strike organizer, was cheered when he declared: "Tell this government clearly that we'll use our strength, including industrial action. if any of the act's provisions are used against a trade union official or rank-and-file member of our movement."

He added: "We're not prepared to accept...this act that takes away the rights of the trade union movement which we've won in a century and a half of struggle."

Blunderwoman Harry Urwin, chairman of the TUC's Employment, Policy and Organization Committee, branded the prime minister blunderwoman and her vandals" and declared the government is seeking to "starve" strikers back to work by withholding

social security payments. Union leaders gave no indication what strikes could be planned. But uoion anger has been mounting for months as unemployment swelled to more than 2 million, or 8.3 per cent of the national workforce — the worst level since the 1930s,

This stems from the 15-month-old Thatcher government's policy of massive spending cuts and high interest rates to curb inflation, currently running at an annual rate of 16.9 per cent.

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Conference on investment opened

Mugabe stresses private enterprise SALISBURY, Sept. 2 (AP) — Freed from 15 years of economic sanctions and secret business deals, Zimbabwe opened a 30nation conference Monday to unveil its

investment and trade potential. Socialist Prime Minister Robert Mugabe told about 1,000 people, including 300 foreign delegates, that private enterprise had a significant role to play in Zimbabwe as long as it accepted state objectives and priorities.

"Private enterprise from outside must...lend itself to subsetantial local participation and management, and while it retains the right to remit its dividends and profits. ensure that substantial percentages are reinvested," he said.

Mugabe, who led the seven-year-guerrilla war against nine decades of white minority rule in the former British colony, emphasized

Economists say that only a few million investment dollars have been received since independence in April, But to make Zim-

Zimbabwe's commitment to "a Socialist

It was Mugabe's first major address since his

return this weekend from the United States

and Britain. Mugabe was in New York to

accept Zimbabwe's entry to the United

Nations as its 153rd member. He also made a

plea at a special session of the General

Assembly for increased economic aid to

Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington for grea-

ter investment and aid to Zimbabwe.

While in Britain. Mugabe urged British

egalitarian democratic society.

Third World couotries.

babwe more attractive, the government has lifted 15-year restrictions on remittances of profits abroad and guaranteed repatriation of all new investment capital after two years.

National firm to sell gas in UAE

ABU DHABI, Sept. 2 (R) - The United Arab Emirates (UAE) has decided to set up a national company to sell gasoline in six of the seven member Emirates, where three foreign firms at present control sales.

The official Emirates News Agency said the cabinet took the decision in principle and charged the oil ministry with making final studies on establishing the company.

Earlier this year the government had to step in with massive subsidies for gasoline prices after the three foreign firms, Shell, Caltex and British Petroleum, raised prices by 30 per cent.

Food shortage critical, FAO warns

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HAVANA, Sept. 2 (R) - Edouard Saouma, director-general of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), has said cereal production in the poorer countries could drop by 14 million tons this year.

Saouma Monday told the FAO Latin American Regional Conference in Havana that food shortages were critical in Africa. and also in some Asian and Latin American

He said developing countries had the tech- =

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nologies and national resources to double food production, and with the right policies they could distribute it fairly and reduce malnutrition by the end of the century.

If Latin America's vast natural resources were efficiently exploited and managed, the region could become self-sufficient in basic foods and provide food for other areas as well, he said.

Saouma called for "a new world food order as a precondition for any economic order."

down from a world high 3.6 per cent four years ago. Lopez Portillo said he expected a current family program will reduce it to 2.5

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This means that even though hard-com unemployment was reduced from 8 to 5.9 per cent in two years, only 19 million people support the rest of the population. Government economists estimate 850,000 new jobs must be created every year just to keep up. Independent economists estimate at least 45 per cent of the labor force is jobless or underemp

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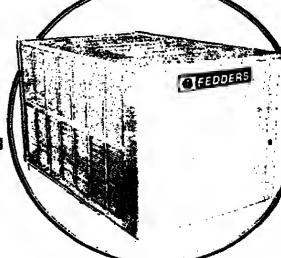
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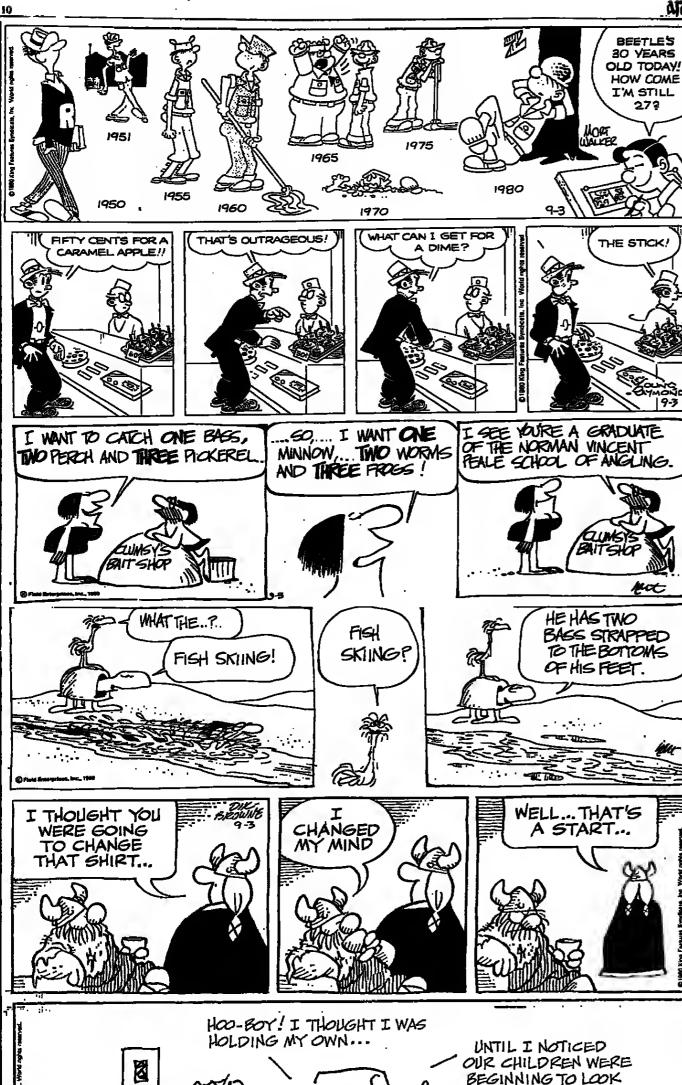
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One of Alice's strangest adventures occurred at a garden tea party. Expecting to be served, Alice sat down at a nearhy table and, on her left, saw a Hatter dealing out some cards, one by one. On her right was a Duchess, who paid no attention at all to what was going on. Opposite Alice sat a snoozing Dormouse, who must have had an argument with the host, who kept pushing him into a large teapot.

Alice was greatly astonished to hear the Dormouse open the hidding with one club. He then

Alice responded notrump.

The Duchess sneezed violently at this point. Interpreting this as leaddirecting and calling for dummy's suit, the Mad Hatter led a club. This was very embarrassing to Alice, who would have made 13 tricks easily with any other lead.

Apparently Alice's only

hope now was to find East with the singleton or doubleton king of spades. But Alice saw another chance. Accordingly, she discarded A-K-Q of diamonds on dummy's A-K-Q of clubs. Then she cashed the J-10-9 of diamonds, hoping the eight would fall - but it didn't. Next, having discarded her A-K-Q of hearts on the J-10-9 of diamonds, Alice cashed the J-10-9 of hearts, again vainly hoping the eight would fall. By now she had only three cards left — the A-Q-J of spades.

Alice then led a spade from

dummy but did not finesse! Why? Because she knew West had started with four clubs, four diamonds, four hearts and, hence, only one spade. Obviously the Duchess had three spades left," and if one was the king the grand slam could not be made. Alice's only hope, therefore, was that West's singleton spade was the king.

So Alice went up with the ace and, when the king fell, she was jubilant indeed. But promptly subsided into a not for very long, because the comatose condition when next moment she woke up! © 1980 King Features Syndicate, Inc.





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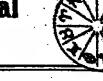
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= Frances Drake = FOR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1986

What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth Sign.

(Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)
A time when plans jell at work. Initiate new projects. Attend to needed domestic repairs. Your optimism attracts benefits. TAURUS

(Apr. 20 to May 20) Creative energy is high. Capitalize on it. Joy through children and romance. The p.m. favors stepping out. GEMINI

(May 21 to June 20) Make important domestic decisions. You and a close one see eye-to-eye. Progress through initiative on the job front. CANCER

(June 21 to July 22) Take the initiative in romance. Don't procrastinate. Make major decisions now. Write letters, and make important phone calls.

(July 23 to Aug. 22) Rever Put new money-making ideas into action. You may receive important news affecting finances. Keep business transactions confidential.

(Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Progress in most areas now. You'll meet with encouragement from others. Social gettogethers bring happy Express your views.

(Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) 🕰 Career progress indibut save some reading a good book or other favorite pastime tal projects favored.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Friends are helpful Social life is favored. touch with those at a di-You might make plans them. **SAGITTARIUS**

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(Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) Talks with lawyers and at visers are productive. Line to the ideas of a close one. En joy the company of friends AQUARTUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18)

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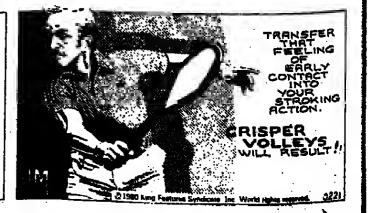
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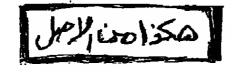
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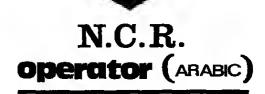
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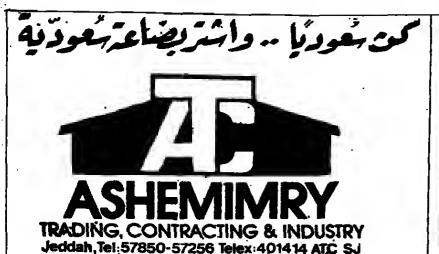
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Warsaw wavering on strike solution

Communist government announced Tuesday it had accepted all demands of striking Silesian coal miners and was ready to sign an agreement. But a government source later indicated talks were still underway and might last "for bours."

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Warsaw Radio reported at mid-day that a government commission led by Deputy Premier Aleksander Kopec had reached agreement in talks with representatives of workers



Iran cabinet fight averted

TEHRAN, Sept. 2 (R) — An open row between Iran's president and prime minister over who should sit in the cahinet was headed off Tuesday when parliament postponed a confirmation debate.

Prime Minister Mohammad Ali Rajai appeared briefly at the Majlis after talking late into the night with President Abolhassan Bani-Sadr to say the president now wanted more time to study some nominations. Many of those named to the cabinet by Rajai on Sunday are young and relatively inexperienced revolutionaries and Bani-Sadr has openly challenged their fitness for office.

Tuesday's postponement put off a confrontation been Bani-Sadr and the Islamic Republican Party that dominates parliament. With Parliament's authority, Rajai called on the president to resume talks on the cabinet, Iran's first formally constituted government since the Islamic revolution of February last

Revolutionary leader Ayatollah Khomeini has refused to enter the quarrel and has told the two sides to settle it themselves. The IRP accuses Bani-Sadr of violating the constitution by refusing to approve Rajai's cabinet. Bani-Sadr's men say Rajai violated it by announcing his team without presidential

"The government commission is comprehensively examining the joint terms of reference for an agreement worked out earlier," the radio reported. "The demands put forward by the workers are acceptable in their entirety. A government commission is ready to sign an agreement with the interfactory strike committee."

But two bours later, a spokesman for the government information service Interpress said the talks might continue "for hours." He gave no further detail nor provided any explanation for the apparent snag.

Late Monday the official Polish oews

agency PAP reported that a tentative agreement had been reached between the govern-ment and miners for nine pits. But the following morning Warsaw Radio said the strikes were continuing in 18 mines and that Kopec had been sent to join the government

Sources said the miners were holding out for written guarantees of their right to form independent trade unions, go on strike and ohtain other benefits granted workers on the Baltic sea coast last weekend. The miners also were pressing for unspecified safety guarantees and changes in shift schedules, sources said,

Officials refused to say how many of Poland's 250,000 coal miners were on strike, but unofficial estimates put the figure around 20,000. Another 10,000 workers in minerelated enterprises were also believed on strike, sources said. Western diplomats said the number of strikers was believed "substan-

There was no immediate word on why the agreement announced Monday night had broken down or whether miners were simply awaiting the signging ceremony before returning to work.

Poland earns a large share of its foreign exchange from coal exports and miners are among the highest paid workers in the country. The official news agency reported late Monday that workers at nine coal mines had reached tentative agreement with the goverument during oegotiations during the day. It was unclear whether the agreement broke down or whether other mines were involved.

In announcing the tentative settlement, PAP said it was hoped the agreement with the miners would be signed Tuesday, thus eoding the labor crisis which began in early July with the near doubling of meat prices.

Poland's government had hoped to settle' the crisis by agreeing last weekend to sweeping demands made by strikers in the Gdansk and Szczecin areas.

Under the agreement, workers were granted among other things the right to form their own "independent, self-governing trade unions" and to go on strike as a last resort in labor disputes.

Miroslaw Wojciechowski, chief editor of the government information service Interpress, said portions of the agreements relating to separate trade unions and the right to strike could apply to all workers nationwide.

Female Rasputin's 'power' may have cured Brezhnev

MOSCOW, Sept. 2 (WP) - In a country so unequivocally committed to "scieotific socialism," the old Russian heliefs in supernatural and other mystical powers linger on with unusual persistence.

A recent sensation here has been a "real" miracle healer from Tbilisi, in Soviet Georgia, who is said to have cured hundreds of people with the "hiological force" in her hands.

Her name is Dzhuna Davitishvili and she is about 30. Although married to a Georgian, she is an Assyrian, a fact that for many people reinforces belief in her "hionic" powers. According to folk legends, Assyrians are a people endowed with magic powers. An ancient people of the Middle East, a few of them survive in southern Russia along the Black Sea coast.

All this may sound like the beginning of a story about a Soviet wonder woman, except that the exploits of Dzhuna, as she is widely known here, have been sanctioned by the Kremlin. She is holding her seances at a government clinic and many prominent Soviet

figures are said to be among her patients. Ther are rumors that even President Leonid Brezhnev has sought her help. In fact, her ministrations are said to be responsible for the noticeable improvement in his physical appearance earlier this year when, after years of decline, he appeared to be the picture of health and vigor.

Davitishvili's reputation for magical healing powers is not few. There have been numerous magic health healers in Russian history. One notable figure was Rasputin, the "mad monk" in the court of Czar Nicholas II. The imperial couple helieved Rasputin could cure their only son who suffered from hemophilia. With entre to court, Raspuon subsequently acquired great political power.

The Communists, with their insistence on the scientific approach, have traditionally fought all sorts of quackery and supernatural

powers. This time, it seems, Davitishvila's healing methods have woo her powerful supporters not only in the political establishment but among some important and widely respected members of the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

Recently, academician Yuri Kobzaryev, who pioneered the development of radar for the Soviet Union, publicly endorsed Davitishvila's exploits as genuine — not a response to any mysticism that may he deeply rooted among her patients.

Kobzaryev said that some healers are known to emanate electro-magnetic waves and that they make a physical rather than psychological affect on the patients.

The endorsement appeared in Kosmol. sakya Pravda. A reporter for that paper claimed to have witnessed a number of miracles. These included Davitishvila's reviving a bouquet of dried roses by passing her hand over them.

He also reported that the woman placed her fingers on a box of cigarettes, raised her hand "and the box rose wit it."

Earlier this summer, another academy memher, Alexander Spirkin, wrote an article in which he described an experiment performed by Davitishvila. He said that "biological field force" from her hands dried out a trophic ulcer in 15 minutes after the bandages were removed. But Spirkin is a philosopher and his article was interpreted as a signal of political approval of the miracle healer wbo otherwise would be in conflict with Moscow's official medical establishment.

Most Soviet doctors are said to oppose Davitishvila's methods as unscientific. But the endorsement by Kobzaryev, a man of genuine scientific accomplishment who enjoys a great reputation here, suggests a

division on the issue within the scientific elite. Meanwhile - despite her fee of \$340 a session — there is a long waiting list of people seeking Davitishvila's help.



EMPHATIC: U.S. independent presidential candidate John Anderson goes through a variety of gestures to emphasize points he made at a recent Los Angeles rally. All three White House hopefuls made appearances Mooday as the 1980 campaign got officially underway.

But few will pay

Peking to tax incomes

PEKING, Sept. 2 (Agencies) — A proposal calling for a 30 per cent tax on all Communist Chinese-foreign joint ventures and an income tax on Chinese and foreigners earning more than \$547 a month was submitted Tuesday to China's National People's Congress. Informed sources said it was sure to be approved.

The measure introduces personal income tax for the first time, but only 20 Chinese make enough mnney to pay it.

The proposal was contained in four draft laws dealing with joint ventures taxes, personal income taxes, marriage and nationality. Peng Zhen, vice chairman of the NPC standing committee, also proposed a constitutional amendment to abolish freedoms of speech,

Chinese leaders say the constitution already quarantees the right of free speech and say wall posters were used to defame people during the Cultural Revolution. The amendment - sure to be approved -

will mean an end to China's last "democracy wall" in a remote Peking Party. The draft laws and constitutional amend-

ment will he discussed by more than 3,000 deputies to the congress - China's parliament. They first were proposed by the Communist Party and congressional endursement is a foregone conclusion. Peng Zhen said Chinese-foreign joint ven-

tures will next year be subject to a 30 per cent . income tax, plus a local surtax of 10 per cent of the assessed tax. The actual rate would be about 33 per cent. If profits are remitted from

China, annther 10 per cent tax will be imposed on the funds remitted. Peng said. Peng said a separate taxation system would

be established for petroleum and oatural gas ioint ventures. He said the level of taxation is relatively low compared with other countries. The purpose, he said, is to acquire advanced technology and know-how. The personal income tax is believed to be

aimed mainly at foreigners. Most Chinese warkers earn about \$55 a month and very few, possibly only 20, of the highest paid Chinese officials reach the \$547-a-month China also is revising a 1950 law which sets

the age of marriage at 20 for men and 18 for women. Under the new law, the age would be raised to 20 for women and 22 for men. The marriage law also will require couples to practice family planning. China now insists on one-child families in order to control its population. China now has one hillion people. Peng did oot say how the law would be

The draft law also makes divorce more difficult. According to the 1950 law, still in effect, divorce was granted if one party demanded it and mediaonn failed. The new law says there must be "complete alienation of affection" and efforts at reconciliation must have failed before a divorce is granted.

Under China's new nacionality law, dual nationality will no longer be recognized. Overseas Chinese will have to choose between Chinese and foreign citizenship.

4 found guilty in

tive Michael Myers of Pennsylvania, and three co-defendants have been found guilty in the first of the Abscam cases to go to trial.

Jury foreman Nancy Biedry, a physical therapist from Glen Cove, New York, repeated the word "guilty" 12 times Saturday, convicting each of the four defendants of bribery, conspiracy and traveling interstate to commit bribery in the acceptance of \$50,000 in influence money from the agents of a fictitious Arab sheikh,

The verdict was handed up to Judge George Pratt in U.S. District Court at 12:10 a.m. about 10 hours after the panel of nine men and three women began deliberations.

Myers, Mayor Angelo Errichetti of Camden, New Jersey, who is also a New Jersey state Senator; Philadelphia City Councilman Louis Johanson; and Philadelphia attorney Howard Criden, Johanson's former law part-ner, each face possible 15-year prison terms on the bribery conviction, the most serious charge, and up to five years each on the other

two charges. Pratt set no sentencing date.

Myers flushed when he heard the verdict and his wife, ethel, burst into tears. Errichetti smiled slightly. Later, Myers again insisted upon his innocence.

"I really think the jury got confused on the charge," he said, "The real problem was on the intent question. I had no intent to do anything wrong. I was guilty...for meeting with a guy like Melvin Weinberg," the convicted con man who was the chief prosecution witness and an FBI informant.

Asked if he still plans to seek re-election, Myers, who was renominated after being indicted, insisted: "I'm still in the race...I'm sure the American people will not stand still for what the FBI and the Justice Department did to me. It's a disgrace,"

Myers is also under investigation by the House ethics committee, and faces possible removal from office as a result of the convic-

He and the other defendants said they would appeal the verdict -- something they technically cannot do until after sentencing.

When Criden was asked whether he planned to cooperate with the prosecution in other Abscam cases, his attorney. Richard Ben-Veniste, replied, "We'll have no comment on that. We're going to appeal this case.

Johanson could not be reached, although his attorney, John Duffy said: "It's not over until it's over."

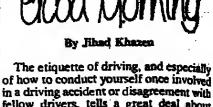
Errichetti, asked how he felt about Melvin Weinberg, said: "He's providing his job, I guess. I don't have anything to say about

Errichetti said he planned to continue in his duties as mayor of Cameden and in the New Jersey Senate. Asked what he thought about the verdict, he said: "I have no problem with it. It is our system of courts. I'm realistic and I believe in our system."

Errichetti's wife, sobbing, was consoled by a attorney Raymond Brown. "It's just the beginning," he assured her.

The verdict followed 12 days of testimony in thecase, which involved Myers' acceptance of \$50,000 from FBI operatives posing as emissaries of the phony sheik. The prosecution charged a violation of federal statutes harring officials from accepting payments in return "for heing influenced" in their duties.

The defense conceded that the money changed hands and, further, that it was divided among the four defendants. But it maintained that the defendants were only 'play-acting' and that Myers, who took the stand in his own defense, had no intection of doing anything in return for the money.



in a driving accident or disagreement with fellow drivers, tells a great deal about national character. In Lebanon, for instance, disagreement

on the road used to be resolved on the spot when each driver took out his pistol and started hlazing in the general direction of the enemy. But this was when the country was a much gentler place. Since the civil war, now a row on the road is settled by each side getting out of the car and laboriously setting up their recoiless rifles, taking up the correct positions, and then blasting each other to kingdom come, it's a new policy, it's called Mutually Assured Destruction. None of your minor gunshot

Egypt, on the other hand, is a different kettle of fish. In Alexandria once I saw an accident involving a taxi and a horse-drawn cab. The cabbie, a tough old bird, came down from his high position holding the whip. The taxi driver got out to meet the expected attack. But as the cabbic approached he, wise as well as tough, suddealy switched tactics. The taxi driver was watching his whip hand. But the cabbie outmancuvered him by butting him in the ehest. End of argument. Exit cabbie singing, taxi man gasping for breath.

In Italy, people involved in arguments in the road usually have tremendous shouting matches. But that is not where the real interest lies. The core of the exchange is in the set of complicated and extremely suggestive gestures employed by both sides. No bones are broken, But the psychological damage seems to be awesome.

Here in Britain I have been witness to many a row on the road. Here they order things differently. In fact it took me some time before I realized that such exchange were in fact rows in which the participants were going all out for each other. I give an

First Englishman: I think you are wrong here, old boy. Second Englishman: Not a chance, It's

your mistake, I think. First Englishman: It's clear your grasp of traffic rules is somewhat shaky.

Second Englishman: Yours leaves something to be desired, I fear ... And so on and so forth,

Translated from Asharq Al Awsat

Gold opens firm; pound at \$2.41, highest since '74

LONDON, Sept. 2 (AP) - The dollar eased for the second straight day against all major currencies in early trading Tuesday, while gold prices opened firmer.

The strong British pound moved up nearly half a cent to a new five-and-a-half year high trading at \$2.4120 compared with \$2.4065 at the close Monday.

Dealers said that, apart from North Sea oil which has long boosted the pound, foreign huyers were attracted by no sign of a reduction in Britain's high interest rates. In Tokyo, where trading ends before it begins in Europe, the U.S. dollar dropped for the seventh straight trading day, closing at 216.40 yen compared with 217.50 yen on Monday. Dealers attributed the fall to continued heavy selling by banks in Hong Kong and Singapore.

Gold edged up, opening in London at \$630 an ounce, and rising to \$632.50 at the midmorning "fixing," compared with \$629,25 at the close Monday. In Zurich, gold opened at \$632.50 an ounce, up from Monday night's \$628.50. London bullion dealers commented there was "absolutely nothing so far" moving the market.

Gold which traditionally rises in times of political uncertainty, was just returning to Friday's levels after a brief dip Monday after the Polish strike settlement. Gold closed in Hong Kong on Tuesday at \$630,42 an ounce, up from \$625.13 on Monday.

Silver was traded in London at \$16.15 an ounce, up from \$15.59 on Monday.

General gunned down in Spain

BARCELONA, Sept. 2 (AP) - Terrorists firing suhmachine guns from a stolen taxi assassinated a Spanish general Tuesday in downtown Barcelona as he rode to work and wounded his driver and an armed guard,

Brig Gen. Enrique Briz Armengold, 62, was killed instantly as three gunmen riddled his official car at a husy intersection during the morning rush hour and then sped of.

The taxi, robbed at gunpoint about one hour before the assassination, later was found abandoned on a Barcelona street. The general's slaying was the fourth killing in five days and brought to 79 the number slain in political violence in Spain this year.



